

Town and School Information regarding PCB and asbestos Bolduk, Heidi

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### Good Afternoon Kim,

Attached you will find a copy of the letter that was distributed to staff and parents at the school. In addition you will find the informational notice that has been posted on the Town of Bolton website and on the Bolton High School website. Thank you and have a nice weekend.

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## BOLTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Paul K. Smith, Superintendent

May 11, 2011

RE:

Parent/Guardian/Staff Notification

Bolton High School Asbestos Abatement

Dear Parents/Guardians/Staff:

As you know, Bolton High School, is undergoing major renovation. This building has been surveyed by Eagle Environmental, Inc., licensed asbestos inspector, and several materials were identified as asbestos-containing; these materials include floor tile and associated mastic, black board/tack board glue, mudded insulation on pipe fittings above ceiling, door caulk, window caulk, sink undercoating, boiler insulation, window sill, roofing materials, etc. The inspection has also identified a few PCB-containing materials. These include window/door caulk, window glazing compound and caulk under beams.

The intent of this letter is to inform you that Phase 3 asbestos abatement and PCB remediation is being planned for the school building while a portion of the building is occupied. The asbestos abatement project has been authorized by the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health (CTDPH) after careful review and on-site inspection of the plan submitted. To ensure that the work will present no risk to staff or students occupying other areas, the construction area will be isolated from the rest of the building by hard physical barriers to prevent accidental entry and air exchange. Work will be performed using appropriate engineering control to prevent exposure from the work. The work will start on May 16, 2011 and is scheduled to be completed on June 30, 2011.

The asbestos abatement work will be performed by AAIS, Inc., a State-licensed asbestos abatement contractor, under the direction of Guilbane Building Company, the Construction Manager. The project shall be monitored continuously by Eagle Environmental, Inc., an independent environmental consultant. The monitoring includes, but is not limited to, pre-work inspection, inspection and air sampling during the abatement process, final visual inspection and air clearance.

As required by the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health, this notification is being sent to all parents and guardians of the children/students, faculty, and staff of Bolton High School. Following are the details:

Project Start Date:

Anticipated Completion Date:

May 16, 2011 June 30, 2011

Asbestos Consultant:

Ashis Roychowdhury Eagle Environmental, Inc. 531 North Mani Street Bristol, CT 06010 (860) 589-8257 Ex.209 Asbestos Contractor:

Joe Villano AAIS, Inc. 802 Boston Post Road West Haven, CT 06516 (203) 932-2992 Ex.212

State of Connecticut Dept. of Public Health-Asbestos Division:

Ron Skomro 410 Capital Avenue P.O. Box 340308 Hartford, CT 06134-0308 (860) 509-7367

Please call me at (860) 643-1569 if you have any questions concerning the asbestos abatement activities planned for Bolton High School.

Sincerely,

Paul K. Smith

Superintendent of Schools

Joe Masseli, School Principal Joyce Stille, Administrative Officer Ray Boyd, Director of Facilities

### BOLTON HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT PCB and Asbestos Information

As you know, Bolton High School is undergoing major renovation. This building has been surveyed by Eagle Environmental, Inc., a licensed asbestos and PCB inspector, and several materials were identified as containing asbestos and PCBs. The asbestos containing materials include floor tile and associated mastic, black board/tack board glue, mudded insulation on pipe fittings above ceiling, door caulk, window caulk, sink undercoating, boiler insulation, window sill, roofing materials, etc. The PCB-containing materials include window/door caulk, window glazing compound and caulk under beams.

Phase 3 asbestos abatement and PCB remediation is occurring in the school building while a portion of the building is occupied. The asbestos abatement project has been authorized by the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health (CTDPH) after careful review and on-site inspection of the plan submitted. The PCB remediation project has been authorized by the United States Environmental Protection Agency. To ensure that the work will present no risk to staff or students occupying other areas, the construction area is isolated from the rest of the building by hard physical barriers to prevent accidental entry and air exchange. Work is being performed using appropriate engineering control to prevent exposure from the work. The work started on May 16, 2011 and is scheduled to be completed on June 30, 2011.

The asbestos abatement and PCB remediation is being performed by AAIS, Inc., a State-licensed PCB/asbestos abatement contractor, under the direction of Gilbane Building Company, the Construction Manager. The project is being monitored continuously by Eagle Environmental, Inc. an independent environmental consultant. The monitoring includes, but is not limited to, pre-work inspection, inspection and air sampling during the abatement process, final visual inspection and air clearance.

For additional information, please contact Joyce Stille, Administrative Officer.